

## **E-News Update**

**Month: May, 2004**

*The following message is provided to you as members of the Collaborative Justice Courts Advisory Committee. Staff at the Administrative Office of the Courts (AOC) have prepared this message in its continuing effort to keep committee members informed of the latest news relating to collaborative justice. Questions, comments, or future news briefs can be sent to Tim Newman at [tim.newman@jud.ca.gov](mailto:tim.newman@jud.ca.gov) or by phone at (415) 865-7614.*

### **News Clips:**

*'Mobile' Courts Bring Sidewalk Justice to India*

<http://www.csmonitor.com/2004/0407/p07s02-wosc.html>

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*Jury of Their Peers*

Teen Peer Court gives youth lesson in legal system

<http://www.zwire.com/news/newsstory.cfm?newsid=11449914&BRD=1197&PAG=461&CATEGORYID=410>

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### **Announcements:**

*International Network on Therapeutic Jurisprudence*

The International Network on Therapeutic Jurisprudence is designed to stimulate thought in the area of therapeutic jurisprudence. It serves internationally as a clearinghouse and resource center regarding therapeutic jurisprudence developments.

[<http://www.therapeuticjurisprudence.org>](http://www.therapeuticjurisprudence.org)

The network will maintain this web page, will keep an up-to-date bibliography, will sponsor conferences, and will publish the therapeutic jurisprudence forum, a regular feature of the Revista Juridica UPR (the University of Puerto Rico's law journal). It will also, through the web page, call attention to recent or upcoming activities and publications of interest, and will provide links to related internet resources. If you have anything you would like added to the site please email our webmaster at [jessica@scrye.com](mailto:jessica@scrye.com) [<mailto:jessica@scrye.com>](mailto:jessica@scrye.com)

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*OJJDP News @ A Glance*

The Office of Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention (OJJDP) announces the availability of "OJJDP News @ a Glance," January/February 2004. The bimonthly newsletter provides readers with news about OJJDP activities, publications, funding opportunities, and events. This issue's lead article describes OJJDP's truancy reduction efforts. A related feature summarizes presentations from a recent meeting of the Coordinating Council on Juvenile Justice and Delinquency Prevention that focused on truancy reduction. The issue also includes highlights from OJJDP's videoconference on the prostitution of children. Resources: "OJJDP News @ a Glance," January/February 2004 (NCJ 203557) is available online at <http://ojjdp.ncjrs.org/publications/PubAbstract.asp?pubi=11512>.

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*SAMHSA Announces Two National Training Opportunities*

SAMHSA announces two national training opportunities this July in Baltimore, MD to advance the field of women's substance abuse treatment and its impact on children and families.

REGISTER NOW AT:

[<http://conferences.jbs.biz/women\\_and\\_childwelfare/>](http://conferences.jbs.biz/women_and_childwelfare/)

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*2004-2005 NCALJ and NCSCJ Judicial Fellowship Programs*

The National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA) and the ABA Judicial Division are searching for the next Judicial Fellows. Be a teacher, writer, community outreach activist, consultant, liaison, reporter and spokesperson on traffic safety issues and the judiciary. Promote trust and confidence in the judiciary and improve highway and pedestrian safety through education, collegiality, communication and community outreach. For more details and to receive an application, please send an e-mail to [kingre@staff.abanet.org](mailto:kingre@staff.abanet.org) or call (800) 238-2667 ext. 5742.

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*University Offers M.P.A. Degree with a Domestic Violence Focus*

The University of Colorado at Denver's Graduate School of Public Affairs now offers its Master of Public Administration degree with a Concentration in Domestic Violence Program Management and Policy Development through a new distance-learning format.

For more information, please call the Graduate School of Public Affairs at 303-556-5970/5994 or email [barbara.paradiso@cudenver.edu](mailto:barbara.paradiso@cudenver.edu). Members of the staff and faculty are available to speak with you on an individual basis to answer any questions that you may have. Additional information is also available on our website: [www.cudenver.edu/gspa](http://www.cudenver.edu/gspa).

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*International Association of Chiefs of Police New Job Announcement*

The International Association of Chiefs of Police is announcing a new national initiative focused on building the law enforcement leadership role on issues of violence against women.

Three new grant funded positions have been created to staff this three-year project funded by the Department of Justice's Office on Violence Against Women. We are seeking dedicated and motivated individuals experienced in law enforcement and/or the training of criminal justice professionals, and with backgrounds in domestic violence, sexual assault, stalking and/or

Interested applicants should send resume with cover letter to: The IACP at  
515 North Washington Street, Alexandria, VA 22314; For additional  
information, visit [www.theiacp.org](http://www.theiacp.org)  
Applications will be accepted until positions are filled.

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*Newsletter: Problem-Solving Reporter*

The National Center for State Courts Community of Practice on Problem-Solving Courts, is  
pleased to announce its inaugural edition of the *Problem-Solving Reporter*, published by the  
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Center. The electronic newsletter is designed to show how communities are being served by  
courts that engage in problem-solving and therapeutic jurisprudence approaches. Subscriptions  
can be obtained at [www.ncsconline.org](http://www.ncsconline.org).